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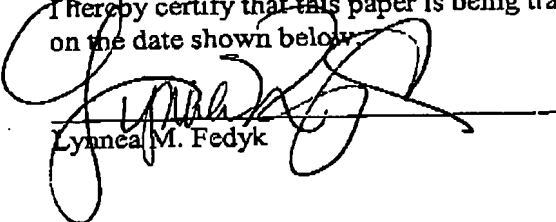
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## Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10/764,739 First Named Applicant: Michael P. Connelly  
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### Tentative Participants:

(1) John Dahl(2) Michael Blankstein(3) Janal Kalis

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Proposed Date of Interview: 25 July 2007 Proposed Time: 8:00 AM (AM/PM)

### Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☐ Telephonic (2) ☒ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

\* The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicants' representative at 612- 349-9581 with any questions regarding this request.

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, provide brief description: working example

## Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>102(e)</u>	<u>1,2,12,18-20,30,35-37</u>	<u>Koenig et al.</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) <u>103(a)</u>	<u>3-11,13-16,21-29,31-34</u>	<u>Koenig</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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### Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

1. Amendment of claims 16 and 34 to clarify that the files are of different sampling rates, but need not be recorded in the wagering game machine.

2. Distinctions between the examples given in the specification and dependent claims and the Koenig reference, and possible amendments to the independent claims 1, 19, and 37 to distinguish them from the Koenig (U.S. 6,729,618) reference based on these examples.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on \_\_\_\_\_

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